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Anibal Negrón, PG, REM
Chief, Environmental Division
Directorate of Public Works
US Army Installation Management Command
Headquarters, US Army Garrison, Fort Buchanan
390 Crane Loop, Suite 303
Fort Buchanan, Puerto Rico 00934-4206

Re: Revised March 2015 Vapor Intrusion Assessment Report, Northwest Boundary Groundwater Site, Army Garrison Fort Buchanan, Bayamón, Puerto Rico (PR1210099999)

Dear Mr. Negrón,

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the revised Vapor Intrusion Assessment (VIA) Report for the Northwest Boundary Groundwater Site, U.S. Army Garrison, Fort Buchanan dated March 2015. EPA considers that our previous comments on the draft report have been adequately addressed. Therefore, EPA is granting final approval of this VIA Report.

Please keep in mind that this determination is valid as long as current industrial and commercial land uses remain unchanged in the foreseeable future. Any changes in land use would need to consider a reevaluation of the Vapor Intrusion Exposure Pathway. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact geologist David N. Cuevas at (787) 977-5856 or through electronic mail at cuevas.david@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

José C. Font, Director
Caribbean Environmental Protection Division

cc: Lorna Rodríguez, Acting Chief,
EQB Land Pollution Control Program